



Terrorism

Terrorists might use chemical and biological releases, radiological disbursements such as dirty bombs, nuclear weapons blasts, or damage from high-yield explosives to harm or frighten Americans.

Terrorist activities

- Can cause deaths and serious injuries
- May result in families being separated for long periods of time
- Can damage or destroy homes, businesses, and automobiles, buses, trains, and airplanes
- Interrupt electrical, gas, and water supplies
- Disrupt travel on roads and highways, train systems, and through airports
- Interfere with or overload hospitals, clinics and physician offices or emergency services that do remain in operation
- Disrupt commodities movement such as food, drinkable water, and medicines



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